



VIS 2019

Post-Hoc Analysis with TTK

Jonas Lukasczyk, TU Kaiserslautern



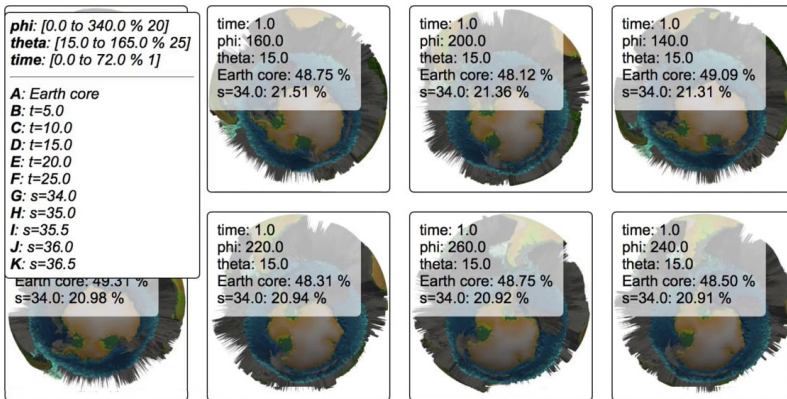
Motivation

- To explore massive datasets, it is necessary to intelligently store, query, analyze, and visualize their data products.
- Such products can be images, meshes, tabular data, tracking graphs, volume data, persistence diagrams, and so forth.



Approach

- Cinema Databases associate data products with parameters.
- Originally conceptualized for image products^[1].



Cinema Database Concept^[2]

Data Product Representation: products can be of any kind, but VTK is strongly recommended.

Data Product Organization: all products are organized by one table that is stored as a CSV file.

Database Interaction: database viewers enable users to specify how database content needs to be interpreted.

Cinema Database Example

.../Meshes.cdb/
data.csv
data/
A_00.vtu
A_01.vtu
B_50.vtu
B_51.vtu
B_54.vtu

(a) File System

Sim,	Time,	FILE
A,	00,	data/A_00.vtu
A,	01,	data/A_01.vtu
B,	50,	data/B_50.vtu
B,	51,	data/B_51.vtu
B,	54,	data/B_54.vtu

(b) data.csv

New TTK Cinema Filters

General Filters:

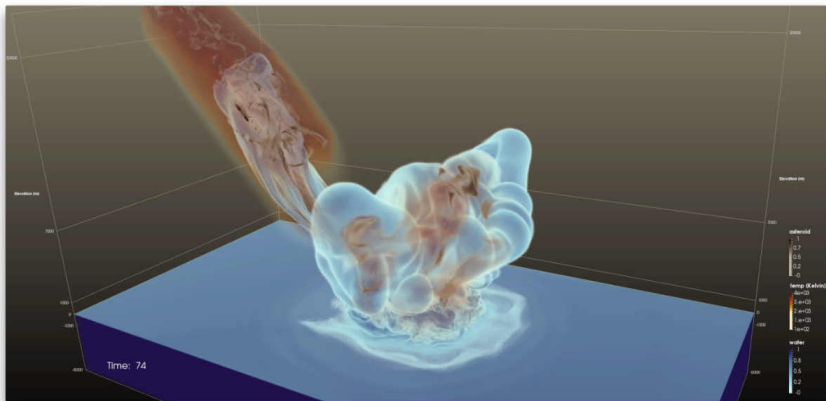
- **CinemaReader** - read database manifest
- **CinemaQuery** - find specific products
- **CinemaProductReader** - read referenced products
- **CinemaWriter** - store products in database

Filters that focus on Image Products:

- **Cinemaimaging** - create value and depth images of an object
- **CinemaShading** - create color images based on value and depth images

Asteroid Ocean Impacts

- <https://sciviscontest2018.org/>
- 27 different simulation scenarios
- 11 Scalar Fields
- 500^3 cells over 500 timesteps



Reading a Cinema Database

TTK 0.9.6 - ParaView 5.5.2 64-bit

File Edit View Sources Filters Tools Catalyst Macros Help

Time: 0

Pipeline Browser

- builtin:
 - TTKCinemaReader1
 - TTKCinemaQuery1
 - TTKCinemaProductReader1
 - TTKPersistenceDiagram1
 - TTKCinemaWriter1

Properties Information

Properties

Apply Reset Delete ?

Search ... (use Esc to clear text)

Database Path nents/Data/AsteroidImpacts/VolumeData.cdb

Display (SpreadSheetRepresentat

Field Association Row Data

View (SpreadSheet View)

Cell Font Size 9

Header Font Size 9

Selection Only

Layout #1

SpreadSheetView1

Showing TTKCinemaReader1 Attribute: Row Data Precision: 6

	Row ID	Airburst	Angle	CycleTime	Path	Resolution	Sim	Size
0	0	A	3	0	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_00000.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
1	1	A	3	1141	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_01141.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
2	2	A	3	2286	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_02286.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
3	3	A	3	3429	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_03429.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
4	4	A	3	4566	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_04566.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
5	5	A	3	5700	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_05700.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
6	6	A	3	6817	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_06817.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
7	7	A	3	7920	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_07920.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
8	8	A	3	8948	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_08948.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
9	9	A	3	9782	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_09782.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
10	10	A	3	10487	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_10487.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
11	11	A	3	11091	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_11091.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
12	12	A	3	11642	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_11642.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
13	13	A	3	12244	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_12244.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
14	14	A	3	12818	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_12818.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1
15	15	A	3	13306	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_13306.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1

Performing a Query

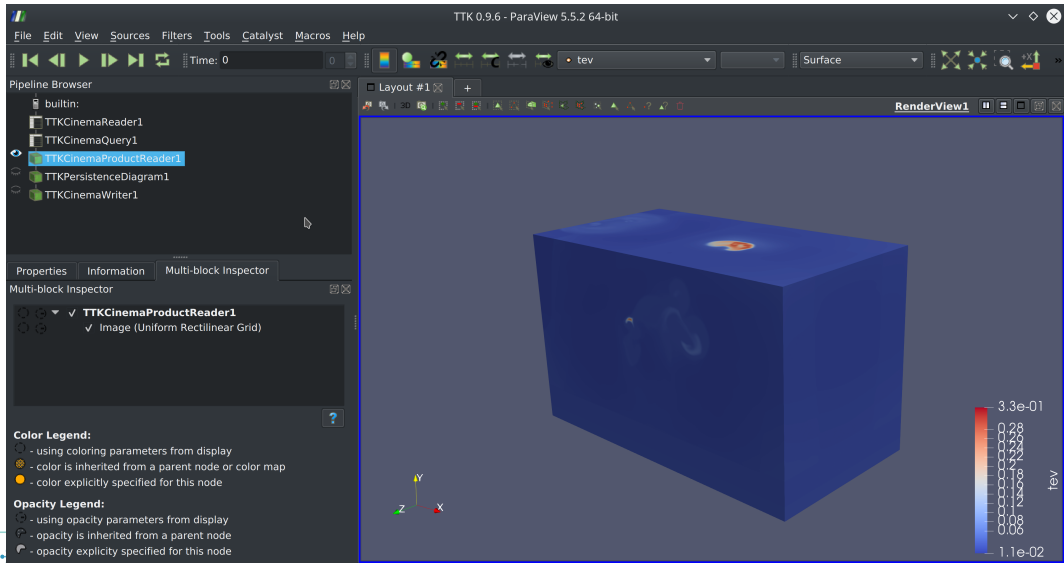
The screenshot displays the TTK 0.9.6 - ParaView 5.5.2 64-bit interface. The Pipeline Browser on the left shows a sequence of steps: built-in, TTKCinemaReader1, TTKCinemaQuery1 (highlighted), TTKCinemaProductReader1, TTKPersistenceDiagram1, and TTKCinemaWriter1. The Properties panel at the bottom left shows the 'Information' tab for 'TTKCinemaQuery1', displaying the following SQL Statement:

```
SELECT * FROM InputTable
WHERE sim = 'yA31'
AND Resolution = '500x500x500'
AND CycleTime = 43746
```

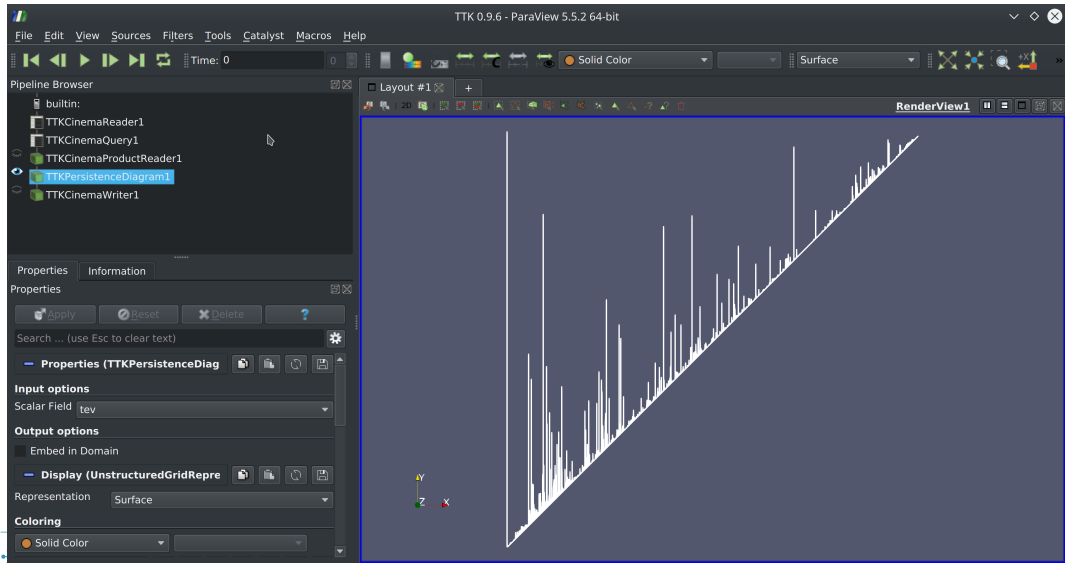
The SpreadsheetView on the right shows the results of the query. The 'Showing' dropdown is set to 'TTKCinemaQuery1', 'Attribute' is 'Row Data', and 'Precision' is '6'. The table displays the following data:

Row ID	Airburst	Angle	CycleTime	Path	Resolution	Sim	Size
0 0	A	3	43746	data/pv_insitu_500x500x500_43746.vti	500x500x500	yA31	1

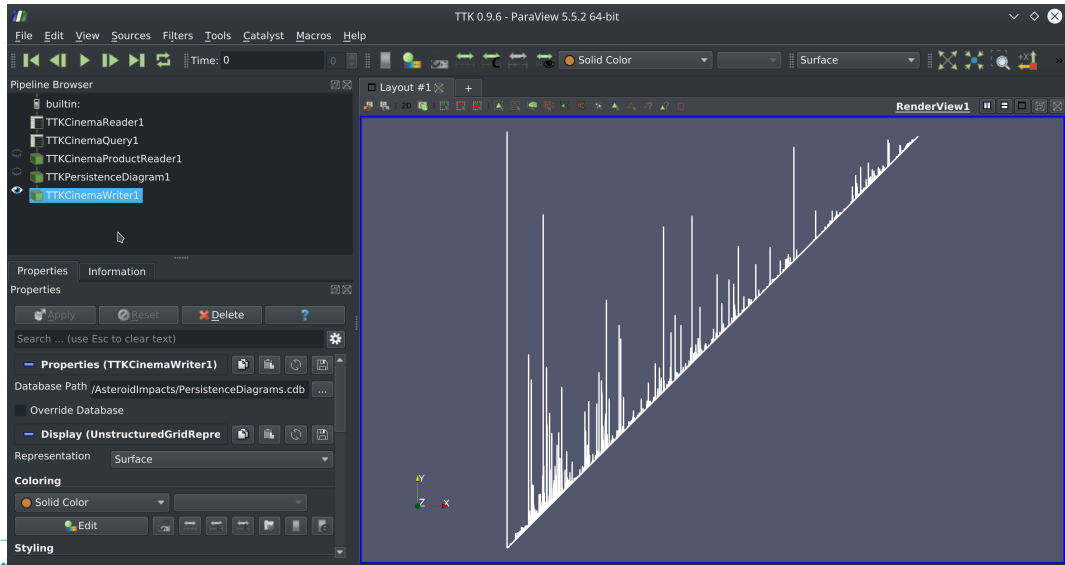
Reading the corresponding Data Products



Perform any Analysis



Store new Data Products



C++ Script

```
8 int main(int argc, char **argv){
9
10     auto cinemaReader = vtkSmartPointer<ttkCinemaReader>::New();
11     cinemaReader->SetDatabasePath( "home/lukasczyk/test.cdb" );
12
13     auto cinemaQuery = vtkSmartPointer<ttkCinemaQuery>::New();
14     cinemaQuery->SetInputConnection(0, cinemaReader->GetOutputPort(0));
15     cinemaQuery->SetQueryString(
16         " SELECT * FROM vtkTable0          "
17         " WHERE Sim='yA31' and Time=101    "
18         " ORDER BY Time                   "
19     );
20
21     auto cinemaProductReader = vtkSmartPointer<ttkCinemaProductReader>::New();
22     cinemaProductReader->SetInputConnection(0, cinemaQuery->GetOutputPort(0));
23
24     auto persistenceDiagram = vtkSmartPointer<ttkPersistenceDiagram>::New();
25     persistenceDiagram->SetInputConnection(0, cinemaProductReader->GetOutputPort(0));
26
27     auto cinemaWriter = vtkSmartPointer<ttkCinemaWriter>::New();
28     cinemaWriter->SetDatabasePath( "home/lukasczyk/test2.cdb" );
29     cinemaWriter->SetInputConnection(0, persistenceDiagram->GetOutputPort(0));
30
31     return 0;
32 }
```

Conclusion

- Cinema integration in TTK
- Data analysis and visualization made easy
- Systematic approach to batch processing and post-hoc analysis
- Trivial to get c++/python scripts running on a cluster (no need for ParaView)

Thank You